

PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER
(Small Entity)

Docket No.
BAF-16802/29

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111 and 37 C.F.R. 1.53 is the patent application of:

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For: **IN SITU ARTIFICIAL DISC REPLACEMENTS AND OTHER PROSTHETIC COMPONENTS**

Enclosed are:

- ☒ Certificate of Mailing with Express Mail Mailing Label No. EV340745266US
- ☒ Fifteen (15) sheets of drawings.
- ☐ A certified copy of a application.
- ☒ Declaration ☒ Signed. ☐ Unsigned.
- ☒ Power of Attorney
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
- ☐ Verified Statement(s) to Establish Small Entity Status Under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27.
- ☒ Other: **Application Data Sheet**

CLAIMS AS FILED

For	#Filed	#Allowed	#Extra	Rate	Fee
Total Claims	21	- 20 =	1	x \$9.00	\$9.00
Indep. Claims	3	- 3 =	0	x \$43.00	\$0.00
Multipl Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					\$0.00
BASIC FEE					\$385.00
TOTAL FILING FEE					\$394.00

- ☒ A check in the amount of \$394.00 to cover the filing fee is enclosed.
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. 07-1180 as described below.
 - ☐ Charge the amount of as filing fee.
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 - ☐ Charge the issue fee set in 37 C.F.R. 1.18 at the mailing of the Notice of Allowance, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.311(b).

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